

## Christmas Presents for Everybody.

What to buy, where to go, and how much to pay, puzzles the whole world just now. We are in a position to solve all these problems for you; for careful and thoughtful buying on our part, has brought together a great holiday stock which must be disposed of. Make this store the basis of holiday supplies and see how satisfactorily you will be served.

### A Special Silk Purchase.

You can find here all the newest silks, satins and broads for either waists or dresses—lovely gifts for the women of the house.

Changeable taffetas in newest color combinations for 75c and 85c the yard.

Really elegant black Duchess satin, 27 inches wide, for 75c.

Handsome broads at 75c, 85c and 90c the yard.

Satin striped, delicate shades in evening taffetas for 75c, reduced from \$1.25.

### A Doll Bazaar.

Is going on in our children's corner. Baby eyes snap and girlish hearts glow with a glimpse of our dolls.

Jointed dolls, with pretty faces and curly hair, for 10c.

Bisque head dolls, that open and shut their eyes, kid bodies, for 25c.

Bisque head dolls in sailor costumes, for 25c.

Silky-haired, jointed bodied, bisque head dolls, prettily dressed, for 40c each.

### A Revelation in Handkerchief Selling.

This is our prize department, where all that is newest, best and prettiest is displayed, at prices that will spare your purse.

Children's school handkerchiefs, with neat printed borders at 25c, the dozen.

Men's hemstitched lawn handkerchiefs, good size and quality, 5 cents each.

Men's all linen hemstitched handkerchiefs at 15c and 25c.

Ladies' linen embroidered handkerchiefs, hemstitched, unbordered and real lace edged, for 25c, 35c, 50c, 65c, to \$1.00.

We will stamp initials on all linen handkerchiefs bought before Xmas free of charge.

### Gloves the Correct Gift.

We ask consideration for our holiday line of gloves for men, women and children.

Servicable dog-skin gloves for men for 50 cents.

Men's one-piece kid gloves, in all the popular shades, for \$1 the pair.

Stylish red, brown, tan and green shades, in ladies' heavy stitched kid gloves for \$1.00 the pair.

Misses five-finger kid gloves at \$1 the pair.

### Umbrellas.

A special line of superior styles as a particular help to those who can't think what to buy for Christmas.

26 inch fast black satin umbrellas with steel rods for 75c.

Congo handles, steel rod, gloria silk umbrellas for 95c.

Sterling silver mounted handles, heavy English gloria silk umbrellas for \$1.39.

### The Cloak Trade.

We propose to have a brisk cloak trade from today until Christmas if it is a price possibility, for we will sell the choice of every garment in the jacket department for the uniform price of \$7.50. This includes many handsome wraps worth twice the amount. Also offer you choice of any plush cape in our stock for \$10.

### Holiday Fancies

Pretty leather belts with fancy buckles for 15c.

Nice black Conny Muffs at 49c.

Sterling silver knives for 48c and 69c.

All wool scarves, navy blue and black, for 25c.

Side combs at 5c and 10c the pair.

Neat pearl shirt waist sets at 25c.

Sterling silver scissors at \$1.49.

White and gray fur rugs at \$1.89.

Men's stylish neck ties at 25c.

Cape feather boas, 55c and 95c.

Hemstitched damask towels 25c.

Black coney and gray hair muffs at \$1.00.

Leather card cases and purses combined, 25c, and 39c.

Sterling silver mounted purses 42c.

### Ellis, Rudy & Phillips.

DR. LUTEN ELECTED.

### The Democratic Committee Finishes Its Work.

The Democratic district committee met yesterday afternoon in the office of Chairman J. D. McQuot, in Campbell building, for the purpose of electing a successor to State Central Committeeman W. P. Gatlin, resigned.

After preliminary business Messrs. R. S. Coleman, of Calhoun; Dr. J. R. Luten, of Fulton, and S. J. Snook, of Lyon, were nominated. On the fifth ballot Dr. Luten was elected by a vote of 4 to 5, Snook being second.

### Oysters and Celery.

Supply at Scott's.

W. Bros. for fireworks.

### Call on B. Michael, Jr., for elegant watches and jewelry at one-half the regular price.

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## Campbell-Mulvihill Coal Co.

210 S. Third Street. Telephone No. 13.

### Pittsburgh and McHenry Coal.

### The Best on the Market.

### Metropolis Clippings for Kincling.

### Pittsburgh Coke.

### HAVE YOUR BAKING DONE

AT THE

### "Bon Ton Bakery."

We will do it cheaper than you can at home.

### Fresh Bread and Cakes

Always on hand. Give us your orders. Goods delivered to any part of the city.

### Fred Greif.

Seventh and Washington Sts.

### LOCAL MENTION.

Go to Stutz for fruits.

Mr. Dillard Resigns.

Editor J. R. Lemen, of the "Journal," was yesterday afternoon elected secretary and treasurer of the Paducah Building Trust Company, vice Mr. N. J. Dillard, resigned.

Fireworks! fireworks!! at VanCulin Bros.

Fancy fruit basket at Jake Biederman's.

Fine Fruits.

Scott has the nicest line of fruits in the city.

An elegant photograph pocket knife would make a suitable present from Scott Hardware Co.

You can find a large stock of dolls at your own price at Robins Glass and Queensware Company.

Oysters in bulk or by the can received daily by R. C. Calissi.

Hurrah for our kids! The way we are hustling things in candies, fruits and cakes is a caution and a challenge to our competitors. The cheapest and nicest fruits on the market and our candies have spoken for themselves. They can't touch us.—Stutz, 417 Broadway. Telephone 29.

We offer you fine bargains in unredeemed pledges.

B. Michael, Jr., 703 S. 2nd St.

Go to Stutz for fruits.

Lively Runaway.

Sam Brunston's horse ran away this afternoon on North Ninth street, and was stopped at Sixth and Clay. The wagon was reduced to a wreck.

Buy papa a razor from Scott Hardware Co. Prices to suit your pocket book.

Fine Fruit Baskets.

If you want fine fruit baskets call on Scott.

Biggest line of fireworks and at lowest prices of any house in the city at VanCulin Bros.

Toys! toys! at your own price at J. Biederman Gro. Co.

Justice Little's Court.

Justice Little's court convenes in regular session next Monday, with a large docket of civil cases.

The cheapest place in town to buy Xmas toys, queensware, fireworks and in fact all kinds of Xmas novelties is at the New Racket Store.

Go to Stutz for candies.

Nothing is nicer than a nice lamp or water set for a present for your friends at Robins Glass and Queensware Company.

All kinds of fancy mixed and plain candies at Calissi's.

Boarding and Rooms for Rent.

Convenient to business; all kinds of sewing done. Call at 221 North Third street.

Have your watches and clocks repaired by Warren, 403 S. 2d.

For Rent.

Front room with board. Apply to Mrs. Jennie Hall, corner Eighth and Jefferson.

A Good Sum.

Miss Emma Morgan's concert at Jones' Hall for the benefit of her school library was a splendid success. Over \$40 was realized clear of all expenses.

Everything in fireworks from a penny bomb to a mammoth cannon cracker at VanCulin Bros.

See Biederman's display of toys.

Married Last Night.

John Tice and Lizzie Fultz, colored, were united in marriage last night by Justice Little.

The special doll sale at Scott continues this evening at Noah's Ark. Store open until 10 p. m.

Everything first class and we carry a large line, queensware, glassware, water sets, fine dinner sets.

Robins Glass and Queensware Company.

Buy your fruits in baskets or bulk at Calissi's. Receive same fresh every day.

Oranges.

Scott is making the finest display of holiday oranges in the city at 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 50 and 60 cents a dozen.

Call on B. Michael, Jr., for elegant watches and jewelry at one-half the regular price.

### PERSONALS.

Mr. Collin McGinnis went over to Creal this afternoon.

Deputy Circuit Clerk W. C. Kidd and wife are both ill of gripe.

Mr. and Mrs. Headley Card are the parents of a girl baby, born last night.

Mr. N. J. Dillard left today for Grayville, Ill., on a visit to his mother.

Jack Bloomfield came in from Princeton this afternoon to spend the holidays.

Mrs. Jerome Allen and wife went to Russellville this morning on a brief visit.

Dr. F. T. Fort left last night for his old home in Adairville to spend the holidays.

Connellman E. E. Bell was last night made the happy father of a fine twelve pound boy.

County School Superintendent A. M. Rouse, wife and child, left today for Lexington on a visit to relatives.

Rev. E. B. Ramsey came up last night from Memphis to officiate in the Myers-McMahon wedding this afternoon.

Geo. W. Landrum, of Grand Rivers, is in the city. Mr. Landrum is a candidate for county clerk in Livingston county.

Mrs. George Worfield and two children, Rosalie and Gladys, left today for Elizabethton to spend Christmas with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Thompson, of Memphis, are here to spend Christmas with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Bryant.

Miss Della Jackson, of Clinton, arrived this afternoon to spend the holidays with Misses Hattie and Magie Clark on South Fourth.

Miss Anna Hill and Mrs. McKinney, of Alton, Ill., who came here to attend the celebration of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Gregory's tin wedding returned home this afternoon.

### DOUBLE FLOPIMENT.

Two Couples of the County Go to Metropolis.

Mr. John Lilly and Miss Rosetta Hart, and Alton Thompson and Miss Beulah Hunt, of near Pepper's Mill, this county, eloped to Metropolis today.

They passed through the city this forenoon and returned this afternoon.

They are highly respected young people and have many friends who will be glad to hear of their marriage.

### NOT DEAD.

Mrs. Plumlee Is Still Alive and Not in Danger.

The "Register" was wrong this morning in announcing the death of Mrs. Roberta Plumlee, of West Trimble street.

Mrs. Plumlee has been ill for some time past, and last night had an attack of heart trouble, but soon recovered, and today is much better. She is a sister of Postmaster Clark.

TIN WEDDING CELEBRATED.

A Large Crowd at Mr. O. L. Gregory's Last Night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Gregory celebrated their tin wedding last night at a home on North Ninth street.

It was one of the most magnificent events of the year. About ten couples assisted in receiving, and there was a large crowd present.

Many pretty and costly presents were received.

### A FINE DOG.

Mayor Yeiser Receives a Great Dog from Kansas.

Mayor D. A. Yeiser yesterday received one of the finest dogs ever brought to the city. It is a great Dane pup, four months old, and larger than most young bird dogs.

Its pedigree is as long as Sixth street, and the animal came from Topeka, Kansas, being registered, however, in New York.

The mayor thinks a great deal of his new pet, and will keep her for a while. Its value is about \$100.

Go to Stutz for candies.

Get the best. St. Bernard Coal, St. Bernard Silver Coal, Pittsburgh Coal and Anthracite Coal from the St. Bernard Coal Co., incorporated, 423 Broadway. Telephone No. 8.

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The New Racket Store positively the cheapest store in town.

A nice suit of furniture for \$16 on easy payments at J. W. Long & Bro., new furniture store, 203 and 205 South Third street.

Sunday School Scholars.

The superintendent of the mission Sunday school on Tenth street asks the scholars not to forget the Christmas offering for the poor. Bring or send your offering before noon Thursday, if possible, to the Sunday school room. Those who cannot bring their offering, order through any grocer and they will deliver it. Do not forget this, while we are enjoying so many good things let us not forget those who are not so fortunate. Let us have a large offering.

E. E. Bell, Superintendent.

Go to Stutz for cakes.

### RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.

Items of Interest Relative to the Railroads and Railroad People.

N. C. AND ST. L. MILEAGE.

Dr. Frank Boyd went out on the special this morning, the guest of Supt. Hills.

Seth Chambers, the young but expert lightning fighter at Murray, spent yesterday in the city.

A special coach from Tyler, Texas, to Chattanooga, Tenn., passed over the line from Memphis yesterday.

Engine 3 has been assigned to the local freights on this end. Barrie and Galvin off the 305 take her deck room.

A great improvement in travel is noticeable this week, but it is mostly local and will last only during the holidays.

Steve Markey, the efficient "chef" on the special car, looked resplendent in his new uniform this morning as she rolled out for Paris.

Conductor Ben Engler had his arm caught and badly mashed yesterday while making a coupling at Hazel. Particulars elsewhere.

Engine 305 is being got in readiness for service on south end locals.

"Jokey" Jim Herring is the lucky "eagle eye," who will sit on her right side seat box.

Special Agent B. B. Lian has removed from Murray to become a resident of Paducah. He is busy today getting his household goods from the depot to the corner of Fifth and Clark streets, where he will reside.

Most of the railroad boys are eagerly anticipating the 31st of December, for on the evening of that day at the Palmer House the grand ball of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen comes off.

Rev. E. B. Ramsey, of Memphis, came in on 103 last night on a pleasant mission. He came to unite in the holy bonds of matrimony.

"Two souls with but a single thought, Two hearts that beat as one."

The contracting parties are Mr. Wm. Myers and Miss Hattie McMahon. The ceremony takes place at 8 o'clock this p. m.

The boys tell a good one on Bob Waynick. A short time since he was at work at Hattie river trestle.

Numbers of the country people would come around and look at the big hammer drop and drive the long timbers deep into the alluvial soil of the river bottom. Bob formed the acquaintance of many of them, among others a pretty young country belle who lived some four miles from the station. He was invited out to dinner the next Sunday and a horse was sent for him to ride by a young man, a relative or neighbor of the young lady. After Bob had donned his best, he left the car to bestride his mount, which was an old "flex bitten" gray that looked to be a first cousin of the equine that disembarked upon Mr. Ararat.

The yokel was mounted on a youthful and skittish specimen of the animal descended from the quadruped that Balsam straddled as he entered Jerusalem. Bob, thinking to show off before the rest of the railroad boys his accomplishments as an equestrian, insisted that he be allowed to ride his muleship, stating that he was once engaged by a Blue Grass stock ranch for the purpose of breaking all the young colts to the saddle. Young Verdant remonstrated, saying the animal was a tricky beast and he would in all likelihood be thrown. Bob said no mule that walked on four legs could spill him, and he was allowed to mount.

A few steps from the railroad was a large and deep mud hole, and the mule demurred to enter it. Bob liberally applied the end of the bridle reins and the heels of his boots as persuaders, but true to the nature of his grandchild the mule turned his head rearwards, caught sight of the "Abraham" nasal organ which adorns the visage of Bob, tucked his head, elevated his business end and Bob turned a somersault into the depths of the hog-wallow. A \$30 suit of clothes was ruined and Bob ate no turkey that Sunday.

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George Weakly Acquitted.

George Weakly, a colored hack-driver, charged with criminally assaulting Della Ward, of Brooklyn, was tried for rape in the circuit court this morning and after being out for several hours the jury this afternoon returned a verdict of not guilty.

Doctors prescriptions given prompt and careful attention and delivered to any part of the city. Our immense stock enables us to give you just what the doctor prescribes.

ORRISCHLARKER & WALKER Druggists Fifth & Broadway. 22 2t

The latest things in book paper just received at VanCulin Bros.

Toilet manicure sets, collar and cuff boxes, cheap at VanCulin Bros.

The New Racket Store is full of rare bargains for Christmas.

Go to Stutz for cakes.

## Free for All Concert

One week, beginning Tuesday evening, Dec. 8, 1896; at 6:30 o'clock, at

## KIMBALL HALL, NO. 430 BROADWAY

Opposite Palmer House



Endorsed by Great Artists

Open Evenings until Christmas.

W. W. KIMBALL CO.  
Wabash Ave., near Jackson St.

### THE EVENT OF THE HOLIDAYS

Every night FREE TO ALL, that enjoy a high class "Musical." Holston's full orchestra and KIMBALL PIANOS.

Several prominent local pianists will assist in the programme from time to time. Also a quartette and mandolin club.

All Come Out.

### R. M. SUTHERLIN,

Manager Holiday Sale.

## W. W. KIMBALL CO.

CHICAGO.

### THE HORSE FELL.

A Stranger Perhaps Fatally Injured.

Yesterday afternoon a young man from this county was riding along with several companions. He was celebrating Christmas in advance and was riding as fast as his horse could carry him.

Finally, when on the gravel road near Rowlandtown, the animal fell upon him and rolled over him. His companions rushed to his assistance and dragged the horse off, and then carried him off down the road, and that is the last seen of him.

He was unconscious and bleeding and it is believed by those who witnessed the accident that he is badly injured.

His companions also seemed to be intoxicated, and none of their names could be learned.

### DRIVE A KNIFE.

A Mississippi Negro Wanted to Kill Lizzie Warlick.

Ed A. Monroe, a Mississippi darkey, was last night arrested by Officers Cross and Johnson for attempting to kill Lizzie Warlick, a colored girl of near Warren, Tenn.

Monroe claims to have gone after his clothes and the woman claims she had none of them. The difficulty occurred on First street near Broadway, and Monroe was prevented from killing the woman only by the intervention of those who chanced to be near. The case was continued until tomorrow.

What We Have to Say.

Everyone loves a good fire, and everyone wants the best coal for the lowest price. Now, we have just opened a coal yard on Tenth and Jefferson, and have to build up a trade, and to do this, we will have to please with our coal, for if we only sold one load to each patron, we would soon be ready to leave. Thus to keep friends after we make them, we will have to handle high grade coal, only, and have selected the celebrated Fordville and New Deane field in preference to No. 9 or No. 11 coal, though we can give you the best of these if you prefer that grade. The Fordville coal was awarded the certificate over Joliet and all other Kentucky coal for grate purposes. It is free from slate, slack and sulphur; catches quickly; reduces to white ashes and a large lump holds fire over night. The New Deane field is a pure, clean coal and makes many friends. The net coal has no equal for cooking. Order a trial load and we guarantee you good coal, satisfaction and prompt delivery. Prices—Lump, 10c; Nut, and Egg, 9c. Phone, 370.

JEFF J. READ & CO.

Try the old reliable St. Bernard Coal and get the best, if you want the most burn for the money. St. Bernard Coal Co., incorporated, 423 Broadway. Telephone No. 8.

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If you have not yet been to Noah's Ark you have missed the greatest opportunity of this week. Get your presents at bargain prices.

One hundred children's quadruple plated silver cups at 25c each at Robins' Queensware store.

DuBois & Co. have had wonderful sales and their supplies taken from their wholesale store allows them to furnish you without trouble.

All kinds of fire works at VanCulin Bros.

### PRISONERS "SHOED."

A Generous Merchant Gives Marshal Collins a Box of Shoes.

Mr. H. Diehl, the well known shoe merchant, today sent a box of shoes to the city hall to be distributed among the prisoners.

Marshal Collins says that all donations such as these will be thankfully received from merchants or any one else who desires to display their generosity.

NOTE—The young ladies of St. Mary's academy will add greatly to our musical programme tonight. Full orchestra and piano. Kimball Piano Hall. Free for all, you will be one of the 1000 guests tonight?

R. M. SUTHERLIN, Manager, 1t.

Noah's Ark still has an immense stock of Christmas novelties.

The brass bed stands gone, the 99c sideboards gone, and many other things, still DuBois & Co. have a variety to choose from.

Marriage This Evening.

The marriage of Miss Hattie McMahon and William Everett Myers takes place at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McMahon, at 523 South Fourth street, this evening at 8 o'clock instead of 5 o'clock, as was stated in these columns yesterday.

One-day more and Noah's Ark will have had the largest Christmas trade of any store in the history of Paducah.

Important Suit Filed.

This afternoon Attorney R. T. Lightfoot filed a suit in the circuit court against O. J. Coleman, of the county. The plaintiffs are A. J. and M. H. Coleman, Ella Coleman, guardian of Mary Bell Coleman, and Rachael D. Stanley. The suit is to enforce a division of 260 acres of very valuable land in the county.

This afternoon a suit was filed against W. D. Farmer and others by J. C. Farmer and others for a division of land near Clark's river.

Mrs. S. R. Morrow today filed suit in the circuit court against Mr. Ed Ware for \$150, claimed to be due for board.

Mr. R. L. Potter files suit against Dr. D. G. Murrell for \$310. He claims that he agreed to cut and haul some hay on the defendant's land for one half of the hay. He claims that he has faithfully performed his part of the contract and that there are now due him about twenty-five tons of hay, or in money \$310.

Stop Him.

He is running away from us! Who? Why that man that is selling candies, fruits and cakes at a price that is startlingly low. Stutz, 417 Broadway.

A Donation Party.

This afternoon the ladies of the First Baptist church agreeably surprised Rev. Penrod, their pastor, by a big donation party, which he and his family greatly appreciated.